Table 5-1. Percentage of institutions with needed but deferred capital projects to construct and/or to repair/renovate science and engineering (S&E) research facilities by institution type and project type: 1994

Institution type	Need for capital projects to either construct or repair/ renovate S&E research facilities	Need for capital projects to construct new S&E research facilities	Need for capital projects to repair/ renovate existing S&E research facilities
Total			
	40	26	33
Doctorate-granting	51	35	43
Top 100 in research expenditures			
	60	52	48
Other	47	28	41
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Universities and colleges were, in general, more likely to have had plans for deferred repair/renovation projects than for the deferred construction of facilities. The top 100 institutions, however, were as likely to have had plans for construction projects as for repair/renovation. Fifty-two percent of the top 100 institutions that responded to this item indicated deferred construction projects in their plans; 48 percent of that same group had deferred projects for repair/renovation of S&E facilities.

What Was the Estimated Cost of Deferred Capital Projects?

Deferred construction costs were estimated at \$4,047 million across all research-performing institutions that responded to this item, while deferred repair/renovation costs totaled \$1,697 million. (See Table 5-2 on the following page.)